



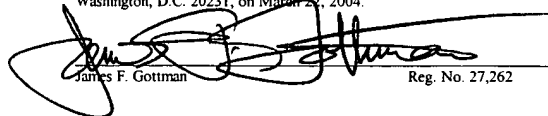
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of

Applicants : Mehta et al.
Serial No. : 10/068,516
Filed : February 6, 2002
Title : **REVERSIBLE AND REUSABLE AUTHENTICATION SYSTEM FOR
SECURE DOCUMENTS**
Docket : STD 1072 PA/41213.335
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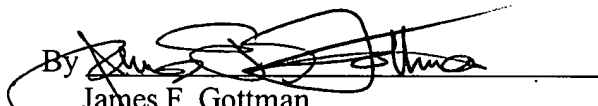

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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby request a one month extension of time in which to respond to
Office Action mailed November 26, 2003. Such a one month extension would make a response
due on or before March 26, 2004. A credit card payment form in the amount of \$110.00
accompanies this request.

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